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Remove: all Organic and Inorganic Im-

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PAID-UP CAPITAL .. \$5,000,000.

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February 13, Massarra, German stemmer,

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VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG.

(Corrected to Date).

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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

G. R. LAMMERT.

At 2 P.M.

The wreck of the German bark " lietty Wendt."

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HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING COLPORATION.

be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th February

current (both days inclusive); during which

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

QUARANTINE IN EUROPE.

Quarantine will probably be removed from all

Passengers by the Company's steamers have

always the option of continuing the journey on

A. Molver,

to London, on payment of the difference of fare.

ports by the time steamers now leaving China

will arrive in the MEDITERRANEAN.

period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

6th February, 1884.

6th February, 1884.

12th February, 1884.

Andrew Jackson ... Cardiff Dec. 29 that Quarantine enforcements have been reduced

T. JACKSON,

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Chief Mnnager.

Dec. 30 at Manseilles to 24 hours and at Venice (IN and after the 1st October the PRICE

Superintendent.

General.—Sizmssen & Co.

1,262, Peterson, Saigon 8th February,

Croad, Canton 18th February, General.

HONGKONG, THER DAY, FELRUARY 14 B, 1884.

AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,
THIS DAY,

the 14th February, 1834, at 2 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, Peddar's Wharf Buildings.
The WRECK of the German Barque

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO



PRICE \$25 PER MONTH

INTIMATIONS.

CITY HALL.

THIS EVENING (THURSDAY,)

WILL REPRODUCE,

BY SPECIAL REQUEST,

THE DOCTOR OF

ALCANTARA!!!

A COMIC OPERA IN TWO ACTS.

the 14th February, 1884.

ROYAL,

THEATRE

• . •	- C. M. S. N. Co.	It. Allrates the Water	Reampyrin From 90 500 860	The WRECK of the German Barque	for shipment per steamer "IAERTES."	this Lean, the following Numbers of Bonds to	
	February 13, Kwongsane, British str., 918,	It can be taken to pieces and cleared in agons need	Instalmentsof Pre-	as she pow lies on the "Poutud Reef," near the	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, A. nts. 13th February, 1884.		
	Jackson, Canton 18th February, Gené- ral.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.	It has been awarded	MIUM received on 698,336,43,	Coast of Panay (Philippines.)	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPAN !.	TION, in Hongkon and Shanghai on the late.	4. ************************************
	February 18, Namol, British steamer, 863,	Special Medal of Marit by the Sanitary	\$3,198,336,43,	The remainder of her Cargo of Kerosine Oil.	ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	day of February, 1884, when the Interest thereon	Г
	Geo. D. Pitman, Foodbow 10th, Amoy	Institute of Great Britain. Silver Medal National Water Supply Exhibi-	COURT OF DIRECTORS:-	TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on fall of hammer.	" NESTOR."	the Office of the said Corporation in Hougkong	
	ral.—Douglas Lapbark & Co.	tion, London,	Chairman—WM. REINERS, Esq. Deputy Chairman—W. S. Young, Esq.	G. R. LAMMERT, Auctionor,	are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis- charged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns	I STON, Unior A GOODDESDE OF Line staid Commonstion 1	
	February 18, Chor-chung, Chinese g-bt.,	Two Silver Medals International Food	H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. Mulver, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq., F. D. Sassoon, Esq.		of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at	and of the undersigned Notary.	• 1.
	February 13. Onor-san Chinese g-bt., from	Exhibition, London. Two Certificates of Merit by Samitary Tretitute.	Hon. F. B. Johnson. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. A. P. McEwon, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq.	PUBLIC AUCTION	Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the		Lj
, .				HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.	14th Fobruary, 1884.	1 20 20 30 35 34 35 381	Ben
	February IS, Peng-Chao-hai, Chinese g-bt., from Canton.	Certificate of Merit International Medical and	Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., Manager.	PIANO, &c., &c.	Goods undelivered after the 20th February, 1884, will be subject to Rent.	103 104 105 106 120 130 150	, .
	February 13, Neston, British dr., 1.458, H.	Sanitary Exhibition, Kensington.	Shanghai-Ewen Cambran, Esq.	THE Undersigned has received instructions	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	$\begin{bmatrix} 154 & 159 & 179 & 183 & 188 & 217 & 219 \\ 226 & 241 & 243 & 277 & 284 & 204 & 211 \end{bmatrix}$	Doc
		Silver Medal Health Congress and Scientific	London Bankers-London & County Bank.	TO-MORROW.	13th February, 1884. (S71	329 332 334 342 349 351 363	Sen
	5th February, General.—Buttervield	Exhibition, Brighton. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED.	the 15th February, 18-4, at 2 P.M. at the Resi-	STEAMSHIP "ANADYR."	1 130 394 399 400 411 419 423 1 1 131 433 437 441 460 461 475 0	
,			On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	dence of C. Shimund, Esq., Praya East,—	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	476 481 491 509 521 524 548	PER
	CLEARANCES.		On Fixed Deposits —	ENGLISH AND CANTON-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,	MARITIMES.	555	Дои Вои
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. FEBRUARY 13TH.	HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED.	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum.	Comprising:-	NOTICE,	7.2 733 748 749 759 775 785	. Al Don
	Hector, British str., for Singapore.	A. N ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	ROSEWOOD DRAWING ROOM SUITE in BLUE REP. MARBLE TOP BLACK.		909 922 960 964 977 987 991	Dow
	Glenlyon, British str., for Shanghai. Splice, Fronch str., for Hollow.	or SHAREHOLDERS of the above	Citerates cranted on approved Securities and	I WOOD TABLES and TEA POYS, JAPAN	"EUPHRATE,"	1912 1015 1019 1024 1029: 1052 1057]	IAE] :C
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	Douglas, Division Str., for Swatow.	instant, at 4.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving	DRAFTS granted on London and the chief	WHATNOTS, MIRRORS, Very Handsome	with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their	1 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	
	TYDEN A THUTTED THE	ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1883, and	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia. America China and Japan.	MANTLE CLOCK and VASES to Match, CARPETS, RUGS, LACE and REP CUR.	risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery	1342 1343 1347 1378 1396 1397 1411	-
	DEPARTURES. February 13, Willy, German bark, for	for the election of a Consulting Committee and	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	TAINS, PICTURES. DINING TABLE and	may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless	1414 1420 1437 1472 1477 1483 1495 1501 1508 1523 1525 1527 1531 1531	
	Manila.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,	Offices of the Corporation, No. 1. Queen's Road Fast,	CHAIRS, SIDE-BOARD, WHAT NOTS, PLATE, GLASS and CROCKERY, WARE.	intimation is received from the Consideres	1537 1542 1548 1554 1555 1588 1604	, _
	February 18, Kwongsand, British steamer,	2nd February, 1884. General Managers.	Hongkong, 25th August, 1883. [7	LADY'S MAHOGANY WARDROBE, MARBLE-WASHSTAND, and MARBLE.	before ONE P.M., TO-DAY, requesting it in be landed here.	$11754 ext{ } 1758 ext{ } 1764 ext{ } 1766 ext{ } -1778 ext{ } 1783 ext{ } 1784 ext{ } 1$	Or
	for Swatow. February 18: Na true. Franch steamer for	_	RIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.	TOP DRESSING TABLE, CHEVAL	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.	1791 1794 1802 1807 1817 1818 1829	Q
	. Daippong,	TIMITED	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	GLASS, IRON BEDSTEADS, CHILDREN'S IRON COTS, CHEST of DRAWERS,	Goods remaining unclaimed after TUES.	1882 1916 1923 1924 1931 1938 1989	\mathbf{D}
	February 13, GLENLYON, British steamer,	_NOTICE.	(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).	WARDROBES, COUCHES, BOOK CASES,	DAY, the 19th Feb., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.		A:
• .	for Shanghai. February 18. C. H. Kran. British steamer.	THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING	PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000.	SHANGHAI BATH, &c., &c.	All Claims must be sent in to me before the	2128 2130 2147 2163 2167 2171 2179	В
	TOL PARTOM:	L OF SHAKEHOLDERS in the above	DER CHARTER £1,500,000,	A Large JINEICKSHAW, LADY'S CHAIR,	20th Feb., or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected.	2181 2212 2233 2241 2254 2294 2306	Ç/
		Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, No. 7, Queen's Road Central.		Catalogues will be issued previous to Sale, and	J. MARTIN.	2414 2448 2456 2465 2483 2484 2489	D
	February 13. Votes French steamer for	on SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, at 12	BANK OF ENGLAND,	the above will be on view on WEDNESDAY next.	12th February, 1884. Acting Agent.	2495 2503 2509 2511 2523 2526 2533 2570 2574 2539 2619 2632 2661 2678	I,
	Yokohama,	O'CLOCK NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Beport of the General Agents together with a	Union Bank of London, Limited. Bank of Scotland, London.	TERMS.—As Customary. G. R. LAMMERT.		2685 2687 2689 2710 2752 2759 2762	
	February 13, CRISTOFORO COLOMBO, Italian corv., for a cruise.	Statement of Accounts to the 31st December,	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED	Anotioneer.	FROM L'ONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.	2771 2773 2779 2783 2791 2838 2841 2855 2868 2870 2382 2893 2910 2914	٠.
	- to the state of	1883. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum.	8th February, 1884. [335]	HE Steamship "GLENLYON."	2933 2955 2961 2977 2992 3000 3002	E:
·-	PASSENGERS.	will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd	At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent, per Appum	FURNITURE SALE.	having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness	3009 3054 3060 3067 3086 3097 3098 3103 3139 3145 3152 3154 3163 3169	T_1
	ARRIVED.	instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Current Accounts kept on Terms which may	The very of carry in a carry on our party received	of Cargo by her and by the S. S. "LYDIAN MONARCH," from New York, are hereby	3183 3185 3256 3257 3291 3307 3313	Q:
	Per Namoa, str., from East Coast Messrs. Dodwell, W. F. Inglis, Wong, L. Qui, and one	General Agents.	be learnt on application.	R.A., to Sell by Public Auction, at his Resi-	informed that their Goods, with the exception	3429 3452 3458 3470 3491 3493 3494	F.
	Chinese official, and 160 Chinese.		J. MELVILLE MATSON, Manager.	dence, No. 2, Mosque Terrace, on	of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence are from	3506 3528 3531 3534 3539 3543 3552 3568 3572 3574	\mathbf{F}_{1}
•	Per Nestor, str., from London, &c.—Mr. Comp. ton, and 220 Chinese.	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Hongkong, 1st June, 1882.	SATURDAY, the 16th instant, at 2 o'clock P.M.,	the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.	For Shanghai Taels 500 each=Shanghai	٠.
٠,	- Carrier Carr	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.		I THE TRANSPORCE TO THE STREET OF THE PARTY	Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before THREE P.M.	Taels 162,500. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking	
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• .	don on the 24th Dec., and Singapore on the 5th	ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the	NOTICE.	CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD, CROCKERY and GLASS WARE, IRON BEDSTEADS.	linarant, will be subject to rent.	G. R. JOHNSTON, Chief Accountant.	
	jost, and had strong N.E. winds; heavy rain	Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 45; Queen's Road, Victoria, at Three		WARDROBES, MAHOGANY DRESSING	No Fire Insurance has been effected.	Countersigned,	
		O'CLOCK in the Afternoon of TUESDAY, the	VV our Pirm in Tamsni, Formosa, Mr.	TABLES. WASHSTANDS. So., &c. And A PERSIAN CARPET.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	A. B. JOHNSON,	·
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And COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, otherwise ROZA, and ANOTHER.—DEBENDANTS. IN Pursuance of a Judge's Order made in this cause, in virtue of Section VIII of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," on the 7th day of February instant, the above named defendant COMBA BAZILIA MONSON otherwise ROZA is hereby required to take Notice that by a Writ of Summons issued at the instance of the above named Plaintiff on the 4th day of February instant, she the said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, is commanded to attend at the Supreme Court of Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of February, 1884, at Ten of the Clock in the forencen; being the day and time appointed for the hearing of this Suit. The said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON is further required to take Notice, that if she fail to attend at the hearing of this Suit at the place and time aforesaid, the Cont may proceed.	The Furniture will be on view at Noon of Faiday. TERMS.—As usual. LANE, CRAWFORD Co., Auctioneers. 12th February, 1884. INTEMATIONS. NOTICE. 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In Pursuance of a Judge's Order made in this cause, in virtue of Section VIII of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," on the 7th day of February instant, the above named defendant COMBA BAZILIA MONSON otherwise ROZA is hereby required to take Notice that by a Writ of Summons issued at the instance of the above named Plaintiff on the 4th day of February instant, she the said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, is commanded to attend at the Supreme Court of Hengkong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of February, 1884, at Ten of the Clock in the forencen; being the day and time appointed for the hearing of this Suit. The said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON is further required to take Notice, that if she fail to attend at the hearing of this Suit at the place and time aforesaid, the Cont may proceed, notwithstanding her absence; and may, on the	The Furniture will be on view at Noon of Faiday. TERMS.—As usual. LANE, CRAWFORD Co., Auctioneers. 12th February, 1884. INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. NOTICE. 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IN Pursuance of a Judge's Order made in this cause, in virtue of Section VIII of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," on the 7th day of February instant, the above named defendant COMBA BAZILIA MONSON otherwise ROZA is hereby required to take NOTICE that by a Writ of Summons issued at the instance of the above named Plaintiff on the 4th day of February instant, she the said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, is commanded to attend at the Supreme Court of Hengkong, on FRIDAY, the 28th day of February, 1884, at Ten of the CLOCK in the forencen; being the day and time appointed for the hearing of this Suit. The said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON is further required to take Notice, that if she foil to attend at the hearing of this Suit at the place and time aforesaid, the Court may proceed, notwithstanding her absence; and may, on the vidence adduced by the Plaintiff, give such judgment as may to the Court appear just. Daniel E. 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IN Pursuance of a Judge's Order mode in this cause, in virue of Section VIII of The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," on the 7th day of February instant, the above named defendant COMBA BAZILIA MONSON otherwise ROZA is hereby required to take Notice that by a Writ of Summons issued at the instance of the above named Plaintiff on the 4th day of February instant, she the said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, is commanded to attend at the Supreme Court of Hengkong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of February, 1884, at Ten of the Clook in the forencen; being the day and time appointed for the hearing of this Suit. The said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON is further required to take Notice, that if she fail to attend at the hearing of this Suit at the place and time aforesaid, the Court may proceed, notwithstanding her absence; and may, on the evidence adduced by the Plaintiff, give such judgment as may to the Court appear just. Dated the 9th day of February, 1884. DANIEL E. OALDWELL, Solicitor for the Plaintiff, 50, Queen's Road, 1N THE SUPEEME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKBUPTOY. NOTICE—LEONG A TAI alies LEONG WA HIN residing at No. 144, Queen's Road Central, at Victoria Hongkong, Charterer, having been adjudged Bankrupt, under a Petition for adjudication fled in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptge on the 21st day of January, 1884, is hereby required to surrender himself to Enward James Ackgroyd, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court at the FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS to be held by the said Registrar on FRIDAY, the 15th day of February 1884 is ferrent court of the First MEETING OF CREDITORS to be held by the said Registrar on FRIDAY, the 15th day of February 1884 is ferrent court of the first in the February 1884 is ferrent court of the first in the february	The Furniture will be on view at Noon of Faiday, TERMS.—As usual. LANE, CRAWFORD Co., Auctioneers. 12th February, 1884. INTIMATIONS. NOTICE. 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STEPHENS & HOLMES, Solicitors for the said EULALIA COLLACO DOS REMEDIOS, and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of GEORGE NESBIT MINTO, who died at 187, Highbury, Now Park, aforesaid, on the said Jecualia Ceolage Nesbit Minto, who died at 187, Highbury, Now Park, aforesaid, on	BEITISH BARQUE "LUCIA," C. OROW- LEY, MASTER, FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send to the Under- signed Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo freely alongside. Consignees of 480 casks Centent, no mark, alipped by Cowles & Co., are requested to com- municate with the Undersigned immediately. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and suproteoled by Fire Lasurance. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. 11th February, 1884. [353] NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "TAKACHIHO-MARU," FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI. 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Visiting brethern will be made cordially welcome, 2th February, 1884. HONGKONG FLOWER SHOW. THE TWELFTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held in the BOTANIO GARDENS, TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW, the 14th and 15th February, 1884. ADMISSION:—First Day may be obtained from Messrs, Lane, Chawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from CHARLES FORD, Honorary Secretary, 1884. No. 183. CHINA SEA. YANGTZE RIVER—SHANGHAI DISTRICT. CHANGE IN POSITION OF Riuteau Light. Vessel and Blockhouse Shoal Buor. NOTICE to MARINERS. No. 183. CHINA SEA. YANGTZE RIVER—SHANGHAI DISTRICT. CHANGE IN POSITION OF Riuteau Light. Vessel and Blockhouse Shoal Buor. 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THE above Lodge will be Consecrated THIS DAY, the 14th instant, by the District Grand Master and his Officers. Visiting brethern will be mode cordially welcome, 9th February, 1884. [340] HONGKONG FLOWER SHOW. THE TWELFTH ANNUAL EXHIBITATION will be held in the BOTANIO GARDENS, TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, the 14th and 15th February, 1884. Admission:—First Day S1; Second Day 20 Cents. TICKETS for the First Day may be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from CIIARLES FORD, Honorary Secretary. 1st February, 1884. [267] NOTICE TO MARINERS. 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IN Puranence of a Judge's Order made in this cause, in virtue of Section VIII of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," on the 7th day of February instant, the above named defendant COMBA BAZILIA MONSON otherwise ROZA is hereby required to take Notice that by a Writ of Summons issued at the instance of the above named Plaintiff on the 4th day of February instant, she the said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON, is commanded to attend at the Supreme Court of Hengkong, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of February, 1884, at Ten of the Clock in the forencen; being the day and time appointed for the hearing of this Suit. The said COMBA BAZILIA MONSON is further required to take Notice, that if she fail to attend at the hearing of this Suit at the place and time aforesaid, the Cout may proceed, notwithstanding her absence; and may, on the evidence adduced by the Plaintiff, give such judgment-us may to the Court appair just. Dated the 9th day of February, 1834. Daniel E, Oaldwell. 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Hongkong, 5th February, 1884,

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Shanghai, 6th February, 1884.

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OVERTURE. SERRIADE, Wake lady, wake! QUARREL TRIO, You saucy jade. ROMANCE, He still was there. DOCTOR'S SONG, Here comes the Doctor ARIETTA, When a lover is poor, DUETTINO, Away despair. BUENAS NOCHES. CAVATINA, Love's cruel dart. BALLAD, The Knight of Alcantara. DUET, I love, I love, I'm Don Hypolito Lopez Pomposo, Song. FINALE. First Act.

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and address with communications addressed to the the Coroner and Mesers. C. L. Gorham, F. J. N. Chinese community is that, in the short drop it, which he did. He went at once to his Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good Schwarzkopf, and W. P. Moore, as jury. The time I have had, I had not the opportunity taith..

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 14TH, 1884.

Tur suggestion by some of the Paris papers that France should occupy Chusan, which led to some comment in these columns on the subject, and the quotation from the con-The MAPS and PLANS have again been | vention signed by Sir John Davis at Bocca | Chinese Government. Events are brought down Tigris in 1846 of the two articles by which to the signing of the treaty of St. Petersburg. China engages never to cede the island to Chinese. The volume will contain, in addition any other foreign Power, and England on to a map of the empire, portraits of Chinese her part binds herself to defend the place against invasion, has attracted some attention and induced some action on the matter disastrous war of 1860. at home. In The Times of the 2nd ultimo we find the following telegram, dated Hongkong, January 1st:-

The Chamber memorializes Lord Granville with re-The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains spect to the importance of a maintenance of the Davis well as at Peking. There are no fewer than 25 Convention of 1846, regarding Chasan .- Jounson, bishops and apostolic vicars in China. About The telegram was addressed to the London being Jesuits, two of the order of St. Lazare, arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest Chamber of Commerce, and that body has addressed a letter to the Minister for Foreign Affairs urging the maintenance of the in Peking; close to the Imperial Pelace. It is a Convention. We notice also a letter from Professor Robert K. Douglas to The Times signor Delaplace, Bishop of Peking, who has been recognition fully components me for any labours I A full Chronology of remarkable events since on the subject, to the following effect: "The telegram from Hongkong which appeared in the The Times of to-day shows sciently that he will not connive at Chithat the reported intention of the French Government to seize the island of Chusan as well as that of Hainan in case of a declara- Attached to the institution is a school for Euro- existing, and from the generous and kindly way you tion of war with China has aroused the susceptibilities of the English merchants at Hongkong; and no wonder. The position selves to teaching their younger sisters of the the erection of the new building which is now being of Chusan, lying as it does opposite the port of Ningpo and the mouth of the Yangteze- curious establishment of Trappist monks, a few have the children so placed as to keep them from kiang, would cause its occupation by a hos. miles to the north of the capital. It is a large danger of injury by fire. to a grip at the throat of the China trade, other sign of fertility. The patient labour of since such a force would be able virtually these anstere hermits is destined gradually to to blockade not only Ningpo and Shanghai, but at the present time the soil is so barren that having the leaves for home by the Hankon but also all the ports on the Yangteze-kiang, the inhabitants hardly know what it meant by on Saturday. It need only be added, to account for the meat, bread, and wine, and painfully subsist upon auxiety felt on the subject by the English merchants at Hongkong, that a blockade of this extent, strictly enforced, would at once put a stop to the silk trade and to the ex- ultime :-port of all teas from the central provinces of the Empire." It does not appear that Lord GRANVILLE had, at the time of the mail leaving England, returned any answer to the address, but it can hardly be doubted that the British Government would find it difficult to repudiate the responsibility resting upon them. It is not likely, however, we think that the French Government would attempt to seize Chusan under the circumstances. For their purposes the island of Hainan would prove far more usoful, as it is in close proximity to the seat of the war in Tonquin, and it might be made to produce a farlarger revenue. That the French do not wish to interfere with foreign commerce in China may be gleaned from the following expression of opinion by a Paris journal:-" The Temps of the 28th December points out that the occupation of the islands of Hainan, Formosa and Chusan by a European Power would furnish that Power with a guarantee against to teas imported previously to the passing of the hostilities on the part of China, without Act against impure or worthless tes, under committing it to any act of war on the Chinese coast, and thus prevent international commerce being interfered with. The Customs duties in the treaty ports of those

islands could be easily collected, and would form a guarantee for an eventual war indemnity." The Customs duties in Chusan would be inconsiderable, while its occupation would inevitably lead to a difficulty with England, which the French Government is properly for granted that, whatever the issue of the will be left in peace. Equally certain does it likewise appear that no attempt to seize they can enter into some settlement with troops in Tonquin at once they will be expected to pay the expenses of the campaign. The way, and they have succeeded in involving either of money or prestige. If the Chinese to be worsted in the long run and will tow of the Iraouaddy, 30th December. have to pay a heavy indomnity in addition. and if they decide even now to back down the French Government will not be satisfied by the mere withdrawal of their opposition.

selves on the horas of a dilemma; they fear

to advance, and they do not see any safe and

facile way of retreat.

The British steamer Phra Chula Chom Klas left the Aberdson dock ventorday.

Show opens to-day at one o'clock p.m. The Italian corvette Cristoforo Colombo, Captain Accinni, left here yesterday for a cruise.

The Agents (Messrs. Melchers & Co.) inform na that the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer Pandora, from Trieste, left Singapore for this port yesterday morning. The French steamer Golconde, of the Fraisainst line of Marseilles, has been sold to Signor

Mattee Brusse, of Genos, for £83,000. She will, in future, ran under the Italian flag between Gonos, Monto Vidoo, and Busnes Ayres. The "Star of Bouthern Chius" Lodge of Freemasons No. 2.013, of Canton, is to be conso-

of the craft, left by the night-boat last evening to take part in the interesting ceremony. In another column we publish the scores of some recent oricket matches played at Trincomalie. Caylon, in which some old Hongkong players figure. Our "Grand old man" does not appear to have lost his ounning at the game of games. of which he is the same sturdy supporter in the spicy isle that he was in the island of fragrant

Many of our readers (says the Straits Times will be glad to hear that Captain Marshall, late of the Stirling Castle, and well and favourably known in the Eastern trade, has been appointed Superintendent at Bombay for the Clan line. Captain Marshall left England for that port on the 14th ultimo. Before leaving he was entertained at a public dinner in Glasgow by a number of his friends.

The Academy says :- The third and concluding volume of Mr. Demetrius Boulger's " His. tory of China" is now in the hands of the printers, and will be published in the last week of January. The volume, upon which the author has been at work for nearly two years, relates to the history of the present century, and consequently includes the most interesting and critical period of the foreign relations of the Gordon, Li Hung-chang, and Tso Tsung-tang. the three men principally instrumental in the restoration of the Emperor's authority after the

The Globs says:-The Celestial Empire has long been a favourite field for missionaries of the Roman Church, which has established itself in considerable force throughout the country, as half of these are French priests, two of them and the rest mostly appertaining to the Mis. sionary Society of the Rue du Bao. The Lazarites have a large and important establishment convent, originally given to the Jesnits by the men here present, which is truly representative of for 35 years a missionary in China. It is have undergone in trying to benefit the Chinese noticed as a peculiarity of this convent that orphans. every one admitted to it is required to swear nese rites, which it was once sought to of charity. This is evident from your noble subscrip. On top of the wheelhouse deck, but that combine with the Roman Catholic worship, but tion during the Irish famine, when the munificent were proscribed by a bull of Pope Benedict XIV sum of ever thirty thousand dellars was subscribed were proscribed by a bull of Pope Benedict XIV. peans and another for Chinese, as well as a Chisame nationality; and these nuns are called by the name of Josephines. Finally, there is a very of the godowns belonging to the Convent, and to make garden ground of the wilderness around, niggardly rations of millet and salt herbs."

We take the following additional items from the London and China Empress of the 4th

The P. and O. steamer Nizam, from London, arrived at Malta at six p.m., 28th December, She had experienced very heavy weather, and was struck by a sea off Galets, the chief officer and four seamen being spriously injured, and the commander and fourth officer badly bruised. Passengers all well.

We regret to hear from Paris of the death, on the 28th ult., of a promising Chinese student, one of the members of the Educational Mission, whose studies are superintended by the Chinese Minister at Berlin, Li Fong-pao, and M. Prosper Giquel. The deceased was named Ouang Kingtouan, was a student of Ecole des Ponts et Chaussies de Paris, and was only twenty-five

A suit was recently brought by the Board of Health of New York against certain tea merchants to prevent them offering for sale chops of | Gunner Hewett, b Hynes...... Pingsuey teas, alleged to be adulterated with Gunner Bawling, b Hynca...... colouring matter and various compounds. The charge that the lots were other than tee was not Bombr. Lees, c Millett, b Hedley & b Hedley made out, and the magistrate held that if the Sergeant-Major Driver, b Hedley & b Hyoce........ teas in question were coloured by indigo. turmerio, or Prussian blue, such small quantities | Bombr. Madden, not out......... 25 b Hyacs...... would be absorbed into the systems of individuals which the official tes inspector of the port has power to condemn without appeal. So far colonred teas have been freely admitted.

Among the joint-stock companies registered comalie. Following are the scores:during the past week is the "Straits Tin Company (Limited)," with a capital of £100,000, in 210 shares, its objects being "to acquire and work tin and other mining rights in the Straits Settlements and the Malay Peninsula." The number of directors is not to exceed seven, nor to be fewer than three, their qualification being the bolding of fifty shares, or stock of equal value. The first subscribers are Messrs. W. anxious to avoid. We may therefore take it Thompson, Minning-lane, S. Hudson, Manchester, W. Pats:son, Lime-street, E. Webb, Great Tower-street, H. W. Simons, Lime-street, and Franco-Chinese embroglio may be, Chusan T. Shelford, Lime-street. The first four abovementioned will be directors, together with Mesera. E. Clark and W. R. Winob.

either of the ports of Canton or Shanghai is

contemplated by France. But the Chinese Manila 19th November. Foodhow 21st, Shang. Lieut Elliott, Chinese Manila 19th November. Foodhow 21st, Shang. Mr. Farquhar, o Mullane, b Lees Mr. Cooke, e Heron, b Howett... vid San Francisco, 26th, Hongkong 27th, Singapore 3rd December. The P. and O. mail, with France and cease opposition to the French the advices dated as above, from China and the Licut. Hamilton, lbw, b Less..... Straits Settlements, and the overdue mail, ex Messageries Maritimes steamer Peiho, were delivered in London, vid Brindisi, on the 2nd inst. war party in Peking have so far had their The Japan advices were received, vid San Francisco, on the Slat ult. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Iraouaddy, with the next inward five do not hold cursely are aponeible for the epialen China in a complication from which there mail-from Shanghai 29th November, Hongkong 4th, Singapore 11th December-left, Port Said on the 2nd inst., one day late, having been detained in the Sues Canal since the 30th ult. Government, following the advice of the more The P. and O. steamer Khedive, with the pasbellicose mandarins, should decide to fight sengers or Messageries Maritimes steamer Poiko. from Shanghal 15th November, arrived at Mar--which we strongly doubt-they are sure seilles let January. The Petho reached Sura in

> LATEST TELEGRAMS. LONDON, 12th February. GENERAL GORDON'S MISSION

IN AFRICA. Latest advices state that General Gordon has Yours truly, continued his march again into the Soudan, and has arrived at Berber.

PRESENTATION TO MRS. FLEMING. Yesterday afternoon an interesting event took We would remind our readers that the Flower place at the Tung Wah Hospital, when a number of Chinese contlemen presented to that in-

defatigable worker in the cause of charity, Mrs. J. M. Fleming, a handsome piece of plate in the form of a card dish in recognition of her efforts on behalf of the children in the French Convent. Mrs. Fleming brought with her for the inspection of the Chinese gentlemen present a magnificent piece of embroiders presented to her by the children at the Convent and which had been worked by them. Mr. Fleming also brought the plans of the new building on the Praye elde of the Convent's property, a handsome three storied building now nearly approaching completion. These plans were presented to the sisters by Mr. Flaming, and that gentleman lies also given them valuable assistance in the carrying out of the work. The new block is orated to-day by the District Grand Master and capable of accommodating 150 children, and his officers, and those officers, with other members the existing building has accommodation for

> about the same number. The plate presented to Mrs. Flequing yesterday bore the following inscription :-Chow, Ip Chuck Kal. Yang Leong. Yow Wan Chee, Woo Lin Yuen, Yu Bui Wan, Sin Tak Fan, and Ho Amei, in recognition of hor indefatigable and many rphans in the French Convent. Hongkong, 13th February, 1884.

companying gift, I know the plate is not of much recognition on our part of your labours.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1881. To Mrs. J. M. FLEMING. and residents of the colony of Hongkong desire to from this colony, where you have laboured carnestly for the welfare of helpless orphans of all nationalities and hence rendered valuable services to the local seems to have engaged your devoted attention. We hope you will accept the accompanying Silver Plate as a token of our appreciation of your churit. able acts and of the high esteem in which you have

We also desire to express our best wishes for your health and future happiness, and hope you will have [Here follow the signatures of these whose names

are engraved on the plata j. Mrs. Fleming-I am much obliged to you. words to express my thanks, and you will kindly take as read by me the reply which my husband will be good enough to read.

Mr. Fleming then read the reply as follows :---Gentlemen.—Believe me I deeply feel the kind address which has been presented to maby the gentle-Emperor Kandy, but is now governed by Mon. the good wishes of the Chinese community, and your

Your great nation has been always recognised to these must now be added the greatest virtue, that have always met mein subscribing for the support of ness and European printing press. There is also | the orphans at the Asile dela Saint Enfance. Your constructed at Wanchai, the necessity for which rose through the destruction by fire some three years ago

ness in speaking of your good doods in my own country. We understand that Mrs. Floming on Tuesmunity. She leaves for home by the Hankow

CRICKET AT TRINCOMALIE. TRINCOMALIE V. NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN 6/1 E. D. ROYAL ARTILLERY.

This match was played on New Year's Day.

The scores are as follow:--SECOND INFINGE. Mr. W. Hynes, b Lees.. ieut, R. S. Hedley, R.E., lbw, b Major Hubback, R.A., st. Lees, Private Gorah, A.H.C., e Driver,

b Muliano..... 6/1 E. D. ROYAL ARTILLERY. Cornoral Stretton, c Millett, b Bombr. Mullanc, b Hynes.....

TRINCOMALIE V. H. M. S. "ORONTES." This match was played on the 3rd January last, and resulted in an easy victory for Trin-TRINCOMALIE.

Mr. W. Hynes, b farquhar..... Bombr. Clarke, R.A. b Farquhar.... Bombr. Lees, R.A., c DeChair, b Danheney...... 20. D. A. C. G. Heron O.S.D., lbw. b Danbeney..... 8 Gunner Hewett, R.A., not out. Wides 6, leg byes 6......

SECOTO INSTROS. Frant Expende. Mr. Stephene, lbw. b Hewett..... Meut. Grove, c Hynes, b Hewett. DeChair, b Lees.....

CORRESPONDENCE. expressed by our Correspondents.]

LETTER OF THANKS. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." had been lost on Pontud Island

M. SPIECELBERG. Hongkong, 13th February, 1884

SUPREME COURT 13th February.

IN ADMIRALTY. BEFORE THE HON. SIR GEORGE PHILLIPPO CHIED JUSTICE, WITH CAPT., H. G. THOM-SETT. R.N. (HARBOUR MASTER), AS NAUTI-CAL ASSESSOR.

WALTER WILSON AND OTHERS V. THE BRITISH STRAMER "SELEMBRIA" Mr. Francis, instructed by Messra. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, appeared for the promovents. the Attorney General (Hon. E. L. O'Malley), instructed by Messrs. Brereton, Wotton, and Deacon, for the impugnants.

Mr. Farrel, the chief officer of the Sclombria. was again put in the bor, and in answer to a further examination by the Attorney-General, be said he remembered the captain going ashore but very little work. On the storboard side a sbort time after the outbreak. He left orders there were about 18 or 20 feet of the roof of Eastern Extension, Australesia, and China with witness to keep all hands at the buckets the amidships house left pretty good, and the Telegraph Company, that the Courier Service putting water on the fire, and do all they could. He said be was going to Mr. Moalle's, the port side was much the same, and one boat which interrupted, owing to the action of the Mandarin

Presented to Mrs. J. M. Floming by the representatives of the Chinese community, Mesers. Lee Sing, Cross-examined by Mr. Francis—Witness The extra bunker made by the wooden bulkhead held a master's certificate, but had never been held about 40 tons, and about 40 tons of coal Rimpai, The British Consult has been informed had been taken from it. The side bunkers held Kimpai. The British Consult has been informed the same side as his berth, the starboard side. shout 400 tons. None of the coal in the regular of the outrage, and we can only express a hope On that side of the alloyway there were four side bunkers was charred, but a little inside the that an immediate and decisive course of action charitable deeds towards the poor helpless Chinese officers' berths, pantry, lamp room, closet, carpenter's shop, and an open space of was charred. The forward bunker hatch covers eight or nine feet, where loose gear was were burnt, he believed, but he did not know Mr. Ho Amer presided, and in making the kept, between the corporter's shop and the whether the after ones were. The coal in the presentation said-Mrs. Flowing, we are gather. after bulkhead. The lamp room adjoined side bunkers was about three feet down from the ly interesting, although as a Comparative Roed here to day to do what I am sure gives each the carpenter's berth, next to it was the hatches; he thought they were more than that, one of us pleasure. We cannot allow a lady of pantry, bunker hatch, second mate's berth, The plates of the engine room casing rather unsatisfactory. The Report shews in the your charitable disposition, whose whole energy and then his. When he was aroused be did not were mostly buckled somewhat, and they were is devoted to doing good, to leave Hengkong stop to dress, but ran out as he lay down in a taken down and straightened. The plates of the decline of 4,029,029lbs. This, however, is not without expressing our gratitude for your many cinglet, drawers and socks, and when he got to forward bulkhead had to be taken down and so great a falling off as noticeable at the end of deeds of kindness to the poor, and more est the lamp room the fire had not extended beyond hammered straight, but the after ones were all pecially your efforts on behalf of the poor help. it. He attempted to take out a case of kerosine right. He attributed the charring of the coal less children in the Convent. Before I read you just inside the door, but the side took fire just and the wooden bulkhead to the heating of the The adjourned inquest on the body of the the address which has been prepared on bohalf as be lifted it up. There were two cases with stringer plates which crossed the bulkhead.

Chiusman, Fung Apun, supposed to have come of the representatives of the Chi. two thus in each in that room. He burnt his mitted suicide by swallowing an overdose of ness I should like to say a few words. Why hand, and scorched off one eyebrow and one side to this morning. Correspondents are requested to forward their name, opium, was concluded yesterday morning before I say some of the representatives of the of his whiskers and then he thought it time to cabin, but was unable to get either the key inquest was adjourned in the first instance for of going round to all the representatives, the store room or the magazine, on account of the purpose of enabling the police to find a we- that is to say, to all the members of the the smoke, and the forward door of the alleyway man with whom the deceased had spent the day Committee of the Hospital. For many years you being shut. The alleyway door could not be before he was found to have taken the drug, but have laboured for the good of all the local opened from the inside, and he had no course the woman was not to be found, having probably charitable institutions, such as the Convents, to follow but to get out of the alleyway past left the colony, and a verdict of felo do as was and especially the Asile de la St. Enfance, and the lamp room. There was no outlet for the we do really think it is our duty to thank you smoke. There were means of communication before your departure and to express our deep between the two alleyways through the messsense of gratitude. The address, which I will room, the galley, and aft of the galley. The now read, is short but true. As to the ac- mess-room and galley doors were kept looked. and it was dangerous to go the other way after value, but I am sure you will appreciate it as a dark, as it was over the sugine room gratings. and they might be open. The fore port alleyway door could be opened from either side, but man fell upon his face, and somewhat damaged failed to observe how persistent this class of there was something afries with the lock of that it, and he was then put in a chair and conveyed natives were in their endeavours to obtain alms Madam, -- We the undersigned Chinese merchants or the starboard side. which was not usually kept | to the Station. abut. Witness described the compartments along express to you our sincore regret at your departure | the port galley way. The woodwork was all very dry, and the fire ran along it as quickly as he could tell of it, whilst the kerosene made such a Convents, amongst which the Asile de la St. Enfance | smoke that it was soon impossible to go inside the alloyway to any distance. The captain was on deck when he got out of the alleyway. None of the officers were on shore that night. Nobody by paisoning on the 31st ultime. had a key of the store room but witness, the store. room contained paint, oil, carbolic soid, and a variety of stores. The pitch and tar was kept a pleasant voyage to your own country.—We are, in the open-space aft of the carpenter's berth.

Madam, your sincere friends, The store room door was of wood, and there were no axes available to burst it open with excepting those in the carpenter's shop, and that

was on the other side of the ship. The bulk- and they both saw the defendant running away. Mr. He Amei, and gentlemen. I have generally head was not carried up to the top of the galley. They gave chase, but he escaped. The comand mess room; there was about six inches plainant's friend, however, met the defendant later space between them. The seamen and firemen on, and recognising him as the thief seized him were forward, and they ran aft as soon as the and gave him into custody. The defendant then fire alarm was given. None of them came through offered to get back the earnings and handed over the alleyways, but all came over the amidships the jade stone drops which had been attached house. The only ones who came through the to them to the constable. alleyways were those who had berthe inside. The donkey had a boiler of its own on the opinion of his Lordship he was under 16, and deck, but it could also be worked from the main besides giving him six menths in good with the boilers. That night there was no steam in the first and last fortnights in solitary confinement donkey boiler, and it was worked from the main he ordered him two whippings of ten strokes in consideration of this payment he abstains boilers. There were twolve regular fire backets such one at his entry and the other on his dison the ship which were kept as a rule charge from prison. evening, after the ship was moored they were put aft under the hood because the compradore had told the Captain to put every. thing out of the way that was moveable as it was a dreadful place for stealing. He never anusod s convent for Chinese women, who devote them. subscriptions have gone for towards providing for the after doors of the alleyways to be closed in the Postung Wharf and Godown Company chance of a visit to one of the three executioners after the fire broke out, but they were kept was held at the offices of Messrs. Russell & Co., in the City, whose time, we learn, has not of open to throw in water. It was from fifteen Shanghai, on the 7th inst. Mr. F. D. Hitch, late been very fully occupied. minutes to half an hour after the first alarm of chairman of the Board of Directors, presided, Several more of the native banks in Foochow the fire that the captain went ashere in Pilot and there were also present Messrs. H. J. Such. have suspended payment during the past week. Hausustein's boat. As soon as the hands turned St. C. Michaelsen and G. H. Whooler (directors), the largest failure being that of Leong Poh, who tile and powerful European force to amount to a grip at the throat of the China trade.

The national state of the china trade. few buckets of water were thrown into the Booth, Ah-kai, Lee-kee and others, representing 2nd inst, with rather heavy liabilities. Soon afelleyway, but then the water was poured down 622 shares. he ventilator of the lamp room. He could not say bow many men were engaged in lowering | the bosts, probably there might have been eight or ten, but during that time two lines of mer kept pouring water in the alleyways and in the ventilator as fast as the buckets could be passed.

No alarm of fire was given until just before the captain went ashore. He gave the order then but not before witness acred not state. then, but not before; witness could not state | sunch Ripple is Tls. 3,782.57, which is carried forthe reason why it was not given before, possibly it ward to credit of the new account. was overlooked. There was a number of cases of oil, which was part of the cargo, stored in the of August last, and have now declared a further diviice house, aft of the tank abaft the amidships dend of two per cent. (Tis. 2.00 per share) payable house. Some men got into the boats when they on the 8th of February next. were lowered. He could not say how long it During the year further improvements and altera. would take for the boats to come alongside from tions have been made to the proparty of the company.

the shore, but he knew it took him nearly balf ship of storing 80 000 ones. The codores when the codores are the company. the shore, but he knew it took him nearly half able of storing 80,000 cases. The godowns, sheds, property. Several of the recent failures have the amidships house was never on fire at any one thorough order, and the directors believe there will been occasioned by false rumours of the instabitime, only a few feet on both sides, though on further alterations or repairs of any important lity of "houses" being circulated by ansoruthe starboard side it was on fire for about half
its length. The reason the after beat on the
starboard side of the house was not lowered was
decided it was necessary to reband in front of the
because the fire was going forward, and not apkerosine godowns, to continue a straight line of
parently coming aft: their water supply chockbundles decided to a long time to come.

The high tides during the typhoon early in August
decided in was necessary to reband in front of the
kerosine godowns, to continue a straight line of
a few days ago and conveyed into the City for
parently coming aft: their water supply chockbundles to No. 2 landing shed, a distance of 770 feet,
trial, and it is to be hope that their punishment ing it that way. The fire spread forward very and to take advantage of the opportunity to reclaim rapidly on the starboard side, but the powder in

his berth did not explode until quite two hours from No. 2 shed to lower and of the wharf. This wo or two hours and a half after the outbreak of has been completed and is a permanent improvement the fire. The fire appeared to work aft on the port side. He did not see the first water boat other local enterprises, has been affected by the concept of timed depression in trade, but the directors have come alongside, but when he saw her, she appeared to have just arrived, though he could not when the trade of the port improves.

Fare, D. Hirch, President. It was from Mr. Moalle's boat with Mr. Gotz on board that he got the useless hose; it appeared to be quite a new hose. When he went forward of the amidships house he did not notice how many boses were at work there, nor how many beats. When the fire was found forward, three 40 hoses were got to work at it; he put the end over the side to show what it was doing and called to the man in charge to hurry his men up. He was lying down, and told witness to mind his own business.

Re-examined by the Attorney-General. The fire on the starboard side bad gone forward, and burnt all the berths forward to the end of the alleyway, where it practically burned itself out as there was nothing else to burn there, the boiler space being protected by an iron bulkhead, and the front of the deckhouse being an iron bulkhead. Aft of the lamp room, the progress of the fire was stopped by the water supply. By his Lordship -But for the water the fore part of the deckbonse must have burnt, and there was undoubtedly some water but upon the

fire there, though he was not forward to see it

e floor underneath the mass room was

burned at all. David Carr, chief engineer of the Selembria said he was aroused by the alarm of fire on the 4th November. It was from 11.30 to midnight. The first hose put on board from a water boat, which was aft of the bridge, threw for a time a little water, but it was a very little, and afterwards it threw none at all. He saked the people proceedings to a close, -N. C. Daily News. in the boat what was amiss with the nump, and they said it was all right. He did not think any more water was thrown by that hose at all. The Custom House pump worked all through the fire. He did not see any men leave the ship without orders that night, but a number of men the wind changed from N.E. to W. and N.W. were sent from aft forward in one of the rain fell fast and heavy. The wind became so might have been saved, perished more from exship's boats. After all the fire was strong that next large and small native craft powers than through the actual injuries reover he examined the deck in front of the amid. (about 300) on to the beach. Several bosts were ships house, and none or at was barned through, broken into pieces. The loss of life was not small steps whatever have up to the present been though it was scorebed and charred for about Two foreign vassals dragged their anchors a taken by the Chinese Authorities to assist the DEAR SIR, -I would feel obliged if you would two feet forward of the bulk hand Witness was little. Three Europeans whilst coming from several families who, by the loss of their breadallow me, through the columns of your esteemed of opinion that the ship was the least in Double Island had a very narrow escape. Among winners, are left in an utter state of destitution. paper, to express the high feeling of gratitude danger of being destroyed, and the playing of Gazette Correspondent. which my crew and myself entertain towards water on the fore part of the louse had, he be-Capt. Savary of the French brig Ramier, who lieved, no material effect, as he considered the rescued as from a very dangerous position, when internal part was all burnt out before any water my vessel, the German burque Betty Wendt, came near it. The work above the house, the bridge, &c., was regbans, not burnt then. The

board. There was no danger of the boilers blowing at Mamoi. were in good order, though if their temperature | cently fallen up-country to produce the present had been greatly increased it would have become "freshets," which latter are not usually observadangerous. When he came out of the alleyway | ble until nearly two months later. The strong he heard the ship's bell sounding a fire plarm, but | carrent flowing shortly before noon on the 5th he never heard the whielle blown. The only last had the effect of capsizing two native cargo hose that did any useful work on the after part | boats laden with rice, whilst attempting to or res of the ship was that of the customs engine. There the river opposite the band. We learn that a were three hoses on that side if the one from the large portion of the cargo-so precious to the Chinese gunboat was there, but he was not sure | natives as being their chief article of diet-was that he saw the latter; at any rate it was doing fortunately salved. after boat chooks were not burned at all. The between Foodhow and Sharp Peak is at present was left on the bridge deck was not touched, at Kimpai, who has forbidlen the Company's cross bunker, close to the temporary bulkhead.

February 13th. Виголе Ма. Н. Е. Wореновае drunkenness. Pico Jean Marie, sesman of the French

POLICE COURT.

ing been drank and incapable on the 11th inst. The defendant was being got along the Praya by two messmates near Pedder's Wharf, whon who have been so fortunate as to escape being they saw a constable approaching, and then the postered during the China holidays by sampan two let go their helpless friend and ran off. The women for ourshaws, cannot, however, have He was fined balf a dollar.

BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE.

THE CHARGE OF MURDER. Li Ayong, coolie, was brought up and further remanded on the charge of having caused the tion of the amounts collected is therefore dedeath of the man Chan Akit and his daughter voted to feasting Joss, and so appearing his EARRING SNATCHING.

Chenny Awan, hawker, was charged with stealing a pair of earrings, valued at \$20, from the person of a woman named Lai Ahoi in Ladder-street on the 23rd ultimo. The complainant was walking with a friendwhen she felt her earrings snatched from behind.

The defendant gave his age as 18, but in the

POOTUNG WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY.

The annual general meeting of the charoholders | as otherwise the monopolist would stand a fair

The directors beg to present to the shareholders he accounts for the year ending 31st December, 18 35 The directors declared an interim dividend of three per cent. (Tis. 3.00 per share) payable on the 8th day

the mud flat as shown in the plan of the premises; and to put in thorough order the piling and bunding

ST. C. MICHABLEEN,) G. H. WHELER.

every reason to hope for a fair share of business

Shanghai, 22nd January, 1884 The CHAIRMAN said the first business to ransacted was to mass the report and account for the past year. These had been printed and unless any shareholder wished for information on any matter. He should be pleased to answer any questions that were put to him.

No questions were asked, The CHAIRMAN proposed—"That the report and accounts, as presented, be accepted and Mr. H. J. SUCH seconded the motion, and

was unanimously passed. Mr. J. SHARP then proposed-" That Massra. Hitch, Such, Michaelsen and Wheeler be elected directors to serve until the next anutal general

Mr. E. H. GORB-BOOTH seconded the motion, not and it was carried unanimously. The CHAIRMAN proposed, Mr. MICHAELSEN seconded and it was unanimously resolved - "That Mr. Peter Maclean be elected auditor to serve hills were a sufficient protection. To Pa is only a until the next annual general moeting." This concluded the business, and a vote of thanks to the chairman, proposed by Mr. SHARP resort thereto from the mainland and live in a and seconded by Mr. MICHARLERN, brought the

SWATOW.

On Sunday, the 3rd instant, at about 5.30 p.m.

FOOCHOW.

Walearn that exceedingly bad weather has Capt. Savary and officers received and treated worst part of the fire was over between two and reporting been experienced outside the Anchorage, us with the greatest kindness, which will ever three c'clock. He heard the powder explode, especially on the 31st ult., when the heaviest N.E. The poorer classes dread it aspecially, because be remembered by us. Thanking you for inserting this letter, I romain, anything. It was between two and three o'clock, the marning of the 3rd inst., when it moderated any winter clothing and bedding that may have he thought, when the fire was at its worst. Cross-examined by Mr. Francis-Witness side is now very foggy every morning, and the Even when they have on all the clothing they Late Master German barque Betty Wendt. had been a chief engineer 15 years, and had hights unusually dark, thereby rendering the possess they are still insufficiently clad. This never been in a fire on beart ship before triver most difficult of navigation.

All his engineers and firemen were on | The Chinese Authorities at Focohow, evidently board the ship that night. The boiler consider that at the present critical juneture, it. fires were out at this time, and had probably is advisable to be kept well posted with affairs at been out since about half past five or six, but Pagoda Anchorage. With this view, a patty be had not blown off steam from the boilers, and | mandaria has recently been salected (his non rinthad left it to disout. There was 20lbs, of steam | ment dating from the Fronch corvette Pilita on the bollers at 7 o'clock the next morning. The |call) to visit the Anchorage by storm launch steam would not condense for 24 hours, and it daily, and upon return to Foodhow each evening, had not been kept up by the heat of the fire on to make an official report of the aspect of affairs up so long as the water supply and safety valves. A considerable amount of rain must have re-

We are informed by the Superintendent of the will be taken in the matter.

The last Market Report of the Sasan, pub-

lished under the direction of the Boochow General

Chamber of Commerce, is even more than usual.

turn the statistics of the trade of Pocohow are general export of the during the past season a the previous season, when there was a decrease of 9,614,575lbs. from the former years' export. The native disharmen report a large number river Min, by plan bring the fish boats. Owing to this state of affairs, not a single sampan can be found so far up as Q van Tao (past the Kimnai Pass). The accounts, however, given by the fishermen are, it is said, rather eraggerated, and this is borne out by the fact of the so-called "'Cerrors of the Western Nations" (vessels very similar to the Alphabetical gunboats) being anchored on either side of the river just below the Kimpai Pass. It is, nevertheless, a fact that several fishing boats have recently been boarded corvetto Duquay Trouin, pleaded guilty to have by these despared as, and completely pillaged. The superstition of the Chinese is conssionally turned to good account. Those of the community from foreign residents. The explanation is that the pecuaiary emolument derived from the latter is regarded by these swarthy ladies as quite a secondary consideration, as the real object is to secure immunity from danger when conveying such foreigners to Pagoda Anchorage. A poranger for the offence of being connected in any way whatever with foreigners.

> Considering the enormous amount of paper currency annually issued in Fonchow, and knowing the crafty disposition of the natives, it has until quite recently appeared an anomaly that there are, comparatively speaking, so few counterfeit notes in circulation. We have, however, at last solved the mystery. It appears that there is only one artificer in the Fonkien Province sufficiently expert in the art of forgery as to be able to produce fac-similes of the notes issued by the various banks; and this Chinamans' work is so exact in the most minute detail. that native bankers can scarcely detect the difference between their owe, and the spurious notes. So much loss and trouble has been thus occasioned to bankers, that the majority of the latter find it policy to annually comshaw this cauning artist to the extent of about \$30, and from forgin; the notes issued by those bankers from whom he receives the gratuity. Although it is said that the Chinese Authorities are fully aware of the facts stated, still they allow this artificer to continue his illegal business, and we may naturally presume that some return is made as an acknowledgment of the privilege ceded,

ter the failure was announced, the premises were The following report of the directors was completely wrecked by the preditors, assisted by the mob. The same day, a small banker named Tek Chee also became insolvent, but only dealing with hundred cash notes, the liabilities are small, and there is a probability of a composition being made; as also in the case of another banker named Leong Nguan who became bankrupt the previous day, but whose premises have not been devastated. As almost invariably the house occupied by defaulting hankers are immediately destroyed, owners of this description of property protect themselves, as far. as possible, either by having deposited a sum equivalent to the value of the premises, or else, by charging exorbitant rents, thus insure against any yery heavy losses in case of failure of tenants and destruction of their will be as severe as the gravity of their offence

We have received further information regard-

ing the disastrons accident which recently occurred at Matson Island. It appears that the Chinese corvette Yang Woo steamed out from Pagoda Anchorage on the morning of the 21st ult., and upon the following day, the weather being clear and fine, commenced target practice at a range of between 1,400 and 2,000 yards, firing some twenty shots and shells, most of which were well simed. It seems that the target was erected on the shore of Matson Island in front of a range of hills, the height of which (about 200 feet) was considered sufficient protection for the two villages on the island; the one circulated, and as they went fully into the posi-tion of the affairs of the company, there was line of fire, whilst the village of Ta Pa was unline of fire, whilst the village of Ta Pa was unnothing that called for any remarks from him, fortunately in a direct line with both the target and the Chinese corvette. The shooting being generally good, the only way to account for the stray shalls, which had such a disastrous effect, is the fact of there being a rather heavy swell on, occasioned by the tempestuous weather of the pravious day, and thus the rolling of the Yang Woo naturally elevated the vessel's guns to a greater extent than was either expected, or made allowance for by the unskilled native officers in command. The latter appear to have otherwise exercised due precaution, as not only was a red flag placed at the fore-top, but a similar signal of danger was waved from the vessel's forecastle to warn—at all events other vessels to keep out of the line of fire. These signals however, were not visible from the village, the residents of which evidently considered that the small hamlet, which is almost totally deserted except during the fishery season, when natives few filthy hovels, and it was in the midst of these buts that the shells descended and caused anch devastation. The bodies of those natives found to be dead were immediately conveyed to the homes of their families on the mainland; whilst those only injured were left lingering in the bitter cold and rain utterly uncared for; the result being that several of those whose lives ceived. We regret to further learn that no

HARGOHOW,

The Chinese reperally dread the cold weather, and gave place to heavy rain. The weather out- been in the pawnshop during the warm weather. lyear, the poor of this city have been liable to

greater distress than usual on account of the scarcity of money produced by the depression in the silk trade and the failure of so many banks. But the actual suffering has been much diminish. ed by the long continued period of mild weather. The memory of the oldest inhabitant does Barometer not reach to a time when the weather continued Temperature January just post. The poor Chinese have another reason for Weather dreading the winter, for then comes the new year, and with it, rather just before it, the creditor comes for his money. It is a time for the settlement of debts, and if one has not wherewith to pay, some unpleasantness is sure to ocour. There is a good deal of playing at hideand-seek between the debter and creditor, and if the debtor can clude his creditor until day! light of New Year's day, he is safe for some time to come. Sometimes when unable to meet liabilities recourse is had to suicide. One such case was reported here on the 27th of the 12th moon. A small shopkeeper who was pressed for a debt of seven dollars committed suicids. It is

reported that oreditors were less exacting, and debts were better paid up, this year than usual. On the morning of the 29th a strange report was current among the people, to the effect that a proclamation had been issued by the Futai changing the New Year's day, making the 29th the last of the old year and the 30th the first of the new. Some said that a telegraphic despatch had been received from the Emperor ordering the change. The creditors were much perplexed, as it limited the time for collecting their debts to the daylight of the following day. They decided. however, to ask the debtor which day he regarded as the last of the year, and to act according to his answer. It seems that the ground of the report was in an official notification of the Futai to the other officials that when they went at daylight on the first, to the Imperial palace. to pay their respects to the Emperor, they were not to wear their Court dress, but to appear in the dress worn on ordinary coossions. The reason for this order does not appear. The new year has been passed safely, and everybody breathes more freely. As to war news, the latest by the grape vine | 261

despatches is that the tive conthern provinces of China are to be ceded to France!—N. C. Daily News Correspondent.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE,

WEDNESDAY, 13th February. EXPORT CARGO. Per steamship Oxus, sailed on the 12th February: -For Continent-313 bales silk, 64 bales weste silk, 6 cases silks, 703 pkgs tea, 50 | Wauda-Ouida. cases essential oil, and 552 page, sundries. For A Chance Acquaintance—W. D. Howells, London-10 bales silk, 50 cases essential oil, Regimental Legends-J. S. Winter. 64 bales waste cilk, 101 cases cigare, 251 bales Disarmed-Miss Betham Edwards. hemp, 150 pkgs. tea, and 600 pkgs. sundries.

On London.-Bank Bills, on demand........3/73 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight. 3/7 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/81 Credits, at 4 months' sight ...3/84 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight3/81

ON PARIS,-Bank Bills, on demand4.58 Credits, at 4 months sight...... 1.68 On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight 221 On CALCUTTA.—Bank, 3 days'sight 221 On Shanghau-

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CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 12th February, 1884.

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W. DOBERUK. Hongkong Observatory, 18th February, 1884.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Lennox and Japan, to-day, the 14th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, &c., &c.-Per Woosung, to-day, the 14th inst...

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For Nagasaki, Hiogo, and Yokohama.—Por Khiva, on Thursday, the 21st inst., at 11.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro, will be despatched on THURS. DAY, the 21st instant, with Mails for Japan, Honolulu, Sau Francisco, the United States, Cauada, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :--

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11.45 A.M., Registry ceases.

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EXTRACTS. TO TRENE. So gentle and so gracious doth appear My lady when she others doth salute; That, trombling, every tongue becometh mute, And eyes that dered to stare are drooped in fear. She flees when her own preises meet her car, Benignly clad in lowly mookness suit: And seems to be a something come depute To show the signs of Heav'n on earthly sphere. So kind is she, that beaming from her eye. A sweetness doth all hearts admiring move. Which they who have not felt can ne'er conceive And from her lips there seems to take sweet leav A soft and touder spirit full of love,

lity of the sightseers who assemble on these occasions-English, French, Persian, Arabian, ISLAM IN A BRITISH COLONY. Hindoo, Chinese, Mozambique and half a A correspondent of The Times writes from dozen other races jostle each other; while Mauritius:-There are many Mauritians resident in London who have witnessed the festival of the Yamsee; but as all Londoners

Which, gently whispering, tells the soul to sigh.

the native coloured population is represented by persons of every shade, from croamy olive are not Mauritians a rough description of to chocolate hued faces. A grand feature in those procession is the "tigers." the festival may be interesting. "tiger" is a man painted and transformed The festival corresponds with the feast of so as to resemble as closely as possible the Mohurrum in India. Originally only Mahomedans took part in it, but it has degenerated real thing. With the exception of the loin and almost any person may take part in it. cloth-on these occasions made skin tight-Each of the two great sections into which the man is naked, a skull-cap and mask in Mahomedanism is split up claims an exclu- one fits closely over the head and face, tersive right to orthodoxy and brands the other minating in front with a fair imitation of a with the charge of heresy. In this respect tiger's nose, while a pair of cars are fixed they do not greatly differ from Christians. upon the head. The mouth is uncovered One of these great divisions, comprising the and rendered hideous by a broad hand of red Turks and Arabians, recognize Abou Bekir, paint that makes the lips appear to extend Omar, and Osman, as the legitimate succes. across the face, the eyes also are rimmed sors of the Prophet, and regard the Sultans with a similar band. The hands are covered of Turkey as the heads of their Church; at the back with pieces of goat-skin, so as to while the Persian and great numbers of In- resemble paws. The rest of the body is dian Mahomedans consider the three Caliphs smeared with yellow ochre, and the stripes were nothing better than usurpers, and are painted in brown. A tail about 15 feet claim Ali, the Prophet's son-in-law and chief long is made fast to the body, and is borne minister, as his rightful successor. Students aloft by an attendant. Some of these tails of Mahomedan history will remember that are extraordinary productions. A chain this dispute was the cause of a bloody fastened round the waist by a leathern strap contest between the two factions in which is held by another person; and, so attended Hosein, Ali's son, was attacked near the city and restrained, the tiger performs his rola. of Kerbela by some forces which had been I would rather not describe it as a Sunday sent against him, and after making a brave afternoon's performance in a Christian counresistance was slain along with a number of try. There were certainly not less than 100 his relatives. The term Yamsee, or Yamseh, of these nude and painted beauties in the is not known in India, and is considered a 'procession on Sunday afternoon,' If I add corruption of the exclamation used in the that the leading ghoon was preceded by East by those who take part in the eight enormous drams, and that the name o festival which really is meant to represent the number of drums and tom-toms extendthe funeral obsequies of the slaughtered ing along the whole line was legion; that prince; and the people exclaim in chorus there were cymbals and gongs; that scores "Ya Hosein, O Hosein." The creoles have of wind instruments emitted sounds very named the procession from this cry, which closely resembling the Scottish bagpipes in the course of years first became corrupted and that the crowd itself was not silentinto Yamseh, and now into the "Yamsee" some faint idea may be formed of the scenes -a word probably unknown outside of being enacted on Sunday afternoon, Novem-Mauritius. Twenty or thirty years ago there ber 11th, in a road leading from Port Louis were not more than two Mahomedan places towards the classic ground where the remains of worship in Port Louis, and, of course, on- of the mythical Paul and Virginia are suply that number of ghoons. Now, however, posed to be interred. One cannot fairly esall the coolies throughout the island, who timate the amount of money expended upon care nothing about Mahomed, and perhaps these processions. The ghoons cost good never heard of him, take part in the festival, round sums; No. 7 this year cost 2,500 Rs.; and in Port Louis alone there are no fewer and No. 1 could not have been produced for than 15 of these ghoons. They are number- much less. The most skilled workinen ed and registered at the Police office, prece. obtainable are employed upon them for two dence being given to the oldest mosque or and three months before the festival, and temple, and so on; and when the proces- the materials used are rich and costly. It sion takes place they have to "fall in" and is a sight well worth seeing once in a lifetake up their proper stations. The two most | time, and quite as good in its way as the splendid glucons this year were No. 1 and carnival. One is not a whit more ridiculous No. 7. I will attempt to give some idea of than the other, while there is this to be said the latter, as it was not only the best, but for the actors in the Yamsee, namely, that

of this procession is the orderly conduct of

the populace. The streets are crowded with the lower classes, among-whom freely mingle

Indies and gentlemen. There are probably

10,000 persons abroad, and yet everything

scene is less imposing on Sunday afternoon,

when the ghoons are again carried in pro-

lession to be broken and thrown into La-

enormous, and cannot fall far short of 15,000

persons. The ghoons are carried in the same

order as on the previous evening, and if their

appearance is less splendid owing to the

absence of artificial light, one is better able

to take in all the details and admire the

artistic design and harmony of colour. It

is also amusing to observe the varied nationa-

tannier River. Here again the crowd

goes off without the least disturbance.

presented the novelty of being moved upon they know no better. wheels-the first time such a thing has been attempted in town. Usually they are carried "EXCHANGE OF BLOOD" WITH THE upon three spars by about 40 men when the SULTAN OF RHAITA ghoon is large. No. 7 ghoon was pagoda-At a lecture given in Rome by Count Anshaped, but, instead of being square, was octagon. The lower story, at a guess, was tonelli, the African traveller, there were exabout 14ft. across, and 5ft. high. There hibited six magnificent elephants tusks, one were five stories, each about 10 inches less in of which was more than five feet long. The diameter than the other, though of very Count was accompanied by two native Galnearly equal height; and the whole was las, youths of graceful and gentle bearing. surmounted by a magnificent globe-like Among the incidents of his journey redome, terminating in an ornamental capital, lated by Count Antonelli, the fol-Each story is composed of a light wooden lowing ceremony is interesting:-An "oxother and firmly tied on with cords inside. with the Sultan of Rhaita. "We met," said Its "walls" are composed of paper of all the Count, "in a but, where a long prayer colours and patterns-gilt, bronze, silver, was first recited, and afterwards various speeches were made. I expressed myself as &c., and flowered. There is also a large surface of tale. But the taste displayed in follows:- My dear friends, I am ignorant of harmony of design and colour must be seen your language, and cannot express all my sentiments; but it is enough to say that I to be understood and appreciated. I have said that No. 7 ghoon was an octagon, and have requested the Sultan of Aussa to adopt five-storied. Each of the eight sides of the me as his son and that now we will exchange five stories held a panel, filling up more than | blood, so that the blood of your people may a third of the height and breadth. This be as dear to me as my own, and mine panel was of strong millboard and was cover- as dear to you. I think you will uned with a bunch of flowers printed upon a derstand me." Another long prayer white ground, excellent both in design and followed, after which the Sultan and I were execution. What may be termed the borders | conducted under a tree to which an ox was of these punels were covered with gold, sil. | tied. The Sultan cut the ox's throat, and ver, ruly, emerald, and other rich papers, with its blood anointed my forehead and then worked in beautiful patterns and exquisite his own; after which he made a necklace harmony of colour. From every point hung and bracelets out of the skin of the ox, and bunches of these papers cut in narrow strips, placed thom on my nock and arms, saying, like the wings of a boy's kite, and as they Men, women; this white man is our brofluttered in the breeze the effect was very ther; in the country of the Danakils a pretty. At each of the eight corners, and at | prophet came to our camp ; so one evening equal intervals between, were spring lamps we made a large circle in the tent, and every for burning candles, the stalks of which one, flattering the prophet, overwhelmwere burnished like silver and surmounted ed him with questions. At last he began to with clear glass globes. The lights from chant replies, which were repeated in a loud these enabled the spectator to take in all voice by all present, accompanied with gesthe details of the structure. Besides these ticulations of the hands and feet. The prothere were a number of lights inside the phet gradually became excited, till at last he ghoon, hidden from the spectator's view howled and struggled like a demoniac however; but their light could be seen I was obliged to show myself to the through the tale so abundantly used in the Danakils in a semi-nude costume, for borders of the panels. In addition to the the report had spread that I was a broblaze of light produced in the way I have ther, and as such they received me in described, a number of men preceded and their tents." The following is Count Anfollowed the ghoon, carrying huge lamps tonelli's description of his reception by elevated upon long staves. At intervals of the terrible! Sultan of Aussa :- "When two or three minutes a quantity of powder I arrived at the Sultan's residence I -not gunpowder-was placed in an iron found myself in the midst of about bowl, fired and held aloft upon a pole. The 2,000 warriors, who were executing a words which the Chinese have of late years been effect of this was simply magnificent. The diabolic dance, attering savage howls, and light produced by these powders was so bril- striking their weapons together. The Sul- jeets in machinery, photography, telegraphy, liant that the gas lights were dwarfed to the tan was watching whether this spectacle and in science generally, which the rapid advance dimensions of a farthing rushlight, and the would alarm me, but on seeing that I walk- of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are lamps upon the ghoon paled like stars be- ed quietly in without taking any notice, he here given in extenso. Each and every word is fore sunrise. At one time the powder used one to be ushered into his fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises fore sunrise. At one time the powder used caused me - to be ushered into his for students of a most instructive nature. Both would make the structure look like burnish. presence. I found a tall man ed gold studded with precious stones. The about fifty years of age, with a robust frame the accents being carefully marked on the best. next light would produce the same effect in and dark complexion, wearing a rather curly principle hitherto attained. The typography copper, another in green, and a fourth in beard. His eyes were stern, and his impres- displays the success of an attempt to make the silver. Standing in a place where the sion self-satisfied—that of a man who believes Chinese and English type correspond in the size whole length of the procession, extending bimself the greatest and most powerful man of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of about three-quarters of a mile, could be on earth. He looked askance at me, and space, achieving a clearness not previously taken in by the eye at once, the scene beggare pointed to a native, who he said was the end vacant spaces which have heretofore characteristics. Perhaps half a dozen shoot of the man who could change them. description. Perhaps half a dozen ghoons chief of the men who could change them terized Chinese publications. would be lit up at once by the Bengal lights, solves into hyonas. I desired to see the trans- To illustrate the vast score of the work, the one gold, the other silver, a couple of green, formation, but he informed me it rould not following facts are submitted for consideration and the consider and one or two copper. At such moments be done at once, but that I should hear his Chalmers' Vocabulary contains about 16,000 these fragile structures look like burnished voice. Then the man imitated the cry of Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English scene. All sorts and conditions of men, and coffee; afterwards we will see. In fact, we student of this difficult language absolutely rewomen too, turn out to witness the grand soon signed a solemn pact of friendship, quires examples to display the various appliwindows of every house along the route are you to me. Well, then, let us make a bargain lished.

Total name believe believe and believe believe and believe believe and believ thrown open, the rooms are brilliantly light. -I will nover believe anything that is said for practical purposes the arrangement of Sea Swellow ed, and the verandahs and balconies are against you, and you must never believe the work is so complete, that a reference to its Stephan crowded with ladies and children. The pro- anything bad of me.' The Sultan's daugh- pages enables a person who understands English

cession takes place in the Endian quarter, is ters are beautiful black Venuses, and are clo- to communicate ejectively with natives who

restricted to certain streets, and is conducted thed almost as lightly as that goddess. They understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect

under strict police regulations. Having are not allowed to marry except when the the work will be found indispensable to all

received an invitation from the superin- moon lies low on the horizon between two

tendent of police to a house which a well-to- stars. This combination happens rarely; so

into their appointed places. On arrival I When the Sultan heard of the impious act

found assembled a pleasant party in the he ordered that his daughter should be dri-

verandah—both ladies and gentlemen— ven out of the tribe and given to certain among them Colonel Forster and some merchants, who would take her to the de-

"subs." of the 18th, and Colonel Willoughby, | vil's house. But the priests interfered, and

of "Willoughby's Horse" of South African | the young girl, instead of being exiled, was

notoriety. One of the most notable features drowned in the lake of Aussa."

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